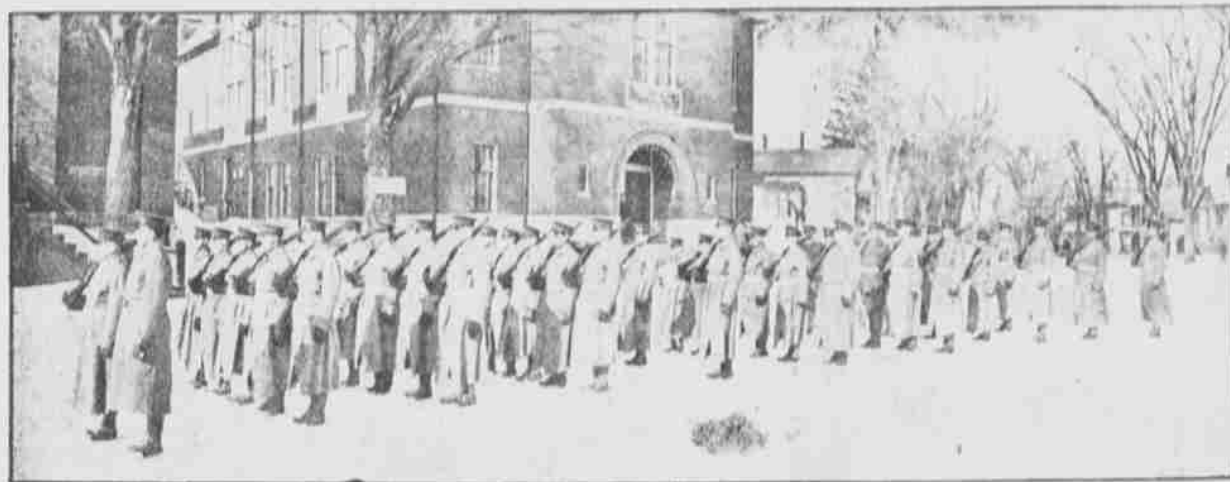


A RECENT PICTURE OF ADDISON COUNTY'S FIRST MILITIA COMPANY



Company D, in Command of Captain Stone in Marching Order in Front of City Hall, Vergennes, February 18. The Company is Drilling Regularly and Aside from its Readiness to Deal with any Trouble, It is Doing Its Bit in all of the Patriotic Fund Raising Campaigns in the City of Vergennes and Vicinity.

The accompanying photograph of Co. D, 1st Regt. Vt. Vol. Mil., was taken at Vergennes on "Garfield Monday", February 18th. Owing to the fact that a number of the members of the Company are not employed in enterprises closed on that day, the full strength of the unit does not appear in the picture, fifteen men being absent.

In order that the citizens of the County may form an idea of the calibre of the men composing the Addison County company of "Home Guards", we print the personnel, with the civilian occupations represented.

Captain George W. Stone, Lawyer
First Lieut. George W. Casey, Electrician
Second Lieut. Carl B. Brownell, Supt. Electric Co.
1st Sergt. G. R. T. Slack, Clerk
Sergt. S. H. Burroughs, Farmer
Sergt. R. T. McIntyre, Plumber
Sergt. F. W. Flagg, Clerk

*Sergt. F. A. Young, Miller
Acting Bugler J. L. Daigneault, Barber
Corporal W. G. Watt, Express Agent
Corporal E. W. Graves, Asst. Cashier
Corporal C. H. Ruess, electrician
Corporal R. L. Adams, Carpenter
Corporal C. B. McAllister, Officer
V. I. S.

Private G. I. Austin, Janitor
Private G. L. Belden, plumber
Private A. F. Blair
Private J. P. Blair, Spring-winder
Private W. C. Blair, Miller
Private W. E. Conners, Clerk
Private W. L. Cotey, Contractor
Private H. W. Day, Farmer
Private F. A. Dempsey, Foreman
Private J. F. Donohue, Creamery
Private G. P. Field, Farmer
* Do not appear in photograph.

Private C. H. Germaine, Driver
Private A. J. Hamel, Laborer
*Private J. H. Hamell, Carpenter
Private H. C. Holcomb, Laborer
Private R. P. Hotis, U. S. Dept. of Agriculture
Private C. P. Jarvis, Carpenter
Private C. B. Jordan, Clerk
Private R. J. Kent, Retired
*Private L. A. Lawrence, Watchman
*Private K. R. MacDougal, Machinist
Private G. F. Maldoon, Clerk
Private A. W. Miller, Clerk
Private W. G. Miner, Printer
*Private J. H. Morris, Shipper
Private R. L. Nichols, Druggist
Private F. M. Rogers, Physician
Private R. D. Slack, Clerk
*Private L. A. Sorrell, Carpenter
Private R. B. Staples, Teacher
Private V. W. Waterman, Physician
*Private P. E. Yattaw, Express Messenger
*Private W. E. Yattaw, Laborer

TOWN MEETINGS TO BE HELD TUESDAY

Review of Business in Calls Throughout County

Interest Mainly in License Issue and Effect Which Women's Vote May Have This Year

Throughout the county next Tuesday is Town Meeting day. The Register has received copies of the warnings for each of the 22 towns in the County and the city of Vergennes and finds that with few exceptions the business proposed this year is confined to the usual routine matters, such as the election of officers, taxation, highways and license. In Middlebury and Bristol the question of supporting local bands for the coming year will come up; in Goshen, Panton, Monkton, Whiting and some of the other smaller places, the towns will vote on the establishment of medical inspection of the schools, which is already practiced in most of the towns of the county. The question of adopting uniform systems of accounting will also be voted upon in Goshen, Monkton, Leicester and some other places which have not fallen in line in this respect.

The City of Vergennes will consider the establishment of a sinking fund for the purpose of improving its water supply, and the town of Bristol will vote on a proposition to provide money for prizes at an agricultural fair to be held next fall for the exhibition of articles of food produced by the boys and girls of Bristol.

The support of public library work will be on the program of business in a number of towns, notably Middlebury, Whiting, Shoreham and Monkton.

The license question is identical on all of the warnings as follows:

"Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?"

"Shall license of the fifth class be granted in this town?"

The only places in the county which voted for license last year were Shoreham and Vergennes, though in a number of places the issue was close. This year with the women exercising their voting rights for the first time, it is generally expected that the "noes" will roll up a bigger majority than ever. In any event, a great deal of interest is being taken in what effect the women's vote may have.

The official warning for the meeting in Middlebury is as follows:

The legal voters in Town Meetings of the town of Middlebury are hereby warned and notified to meet at the Town Hall in said town on Tuesday, the fifth day of March, 1918, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon to transact the following business, to wit:

- First. To elect a Moderator and Town Clerk.
- Second. To act upon the reports of the Town Officers submitted by the Auditors.
- Third. To determine what sum of money shall be appropriated for the observance of Decoration Day.
- Fourth. To see if the town will vote any money to maintain the Public Library, in co-operation with the Ladies' Library Association.
- Fifth. To see if the town will vote any money for permanent highways, to take advantage of the State Aid Law.
- Sixth. To see if the town will appropriate any money for Band Concerts this year, and if so, how much.
- Seventh. To see if the town will vote a sum of money, and if so, how much, for the purchase of a snow plough for the village of East Middlebury.
- Eighth. To vote a tax for the payment of outstanding orders of the town for the support of the poor and other expenses for the ensuing year; also the payment of State Tax, State School Tax, State Highway Tax and to pay all outstanding obligations of the town; also to vote a tax on the Grand List for schools in said town districts, and a tax for repairing highways in said town.
- Ninth. To see if the town will vote whether or not the Selectmen be authorized and empowered to appoint one or more Road Commissioners, the number to be determined by the town.
- Tenth. To elect the remaining Town Officers.
- Eleventh. To vote on the following questions: "Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?" "Shall licenses of the fifth class be granted in this town?"
- Twelfth. To transact any other business proper to be done.

E. E. ROSS,
FRED G. BROOKINS,
WILLIS N. CADY, } Selectmen.

Middlebury, Vermont, February 16, 1918.

SEND REGISTER TO BOYS AT FRONT

If you want to please the soldier boy at the front send him the home paper regularly. Soldiers returning on furloughs from training camps declare that of all the mail received, the boys appear to most enjoy the home paper. You can't spend \$1.25 more wisely than by sending The Register to them regularly for a year.

NINE ACCEPTED, SPECIAL SERVICE

56 Were up for Examination This Week

Several Enlist—One Volunteers For Ship Building



AN OLD RESIDENT GONE

Edward J. Mathews, who Died Last Week at Age of 91 Years

WATER INSPECTION COMING

Commissioners Will Enforce Rules in Stricter Manner

The water commissioners announce that every building supplied with village water will be visited by a representative of the water department. He will obtain data on the service rendered and inspect the fixtures for leakage. The inspection will be repeated from time to time. Whenever any change in the existing fixtures are contemplated the collector, H. F. Joy, should be notified. All plumbers are instructed not to make such changes except on written instructions from Mr. Joy. Article 3, Water Department of the village by-laws requires the plumber to report, in writing upon a blank provided for the purpose, to the collector the exact nature of the work done. Copies of the Charter and By-Laws of the village are on sale at the Register office for 25 cents. The rules and regulations of the Water Department are here set forth in detail.

The water commissioners wish also to state that James McClintch has been appointed superintendent of the water department and is in active charge of the system. Questions of service, information in regard to breaks, and other matters dealing directly with the operation of the village system should be reported to him in person or by telephone and not to the commissioners. If an understanding cannot be reached on any question, the case should be clearly and concisely stated and placed before the commissioners in writing.

(Additional Local on Other Pages)

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	R. D. 2.	
60	George F. Dougherty, Middlebury,	
73	Russell A. Walker, Shoreham, Vt.	
151	Harold L. Burge, Vergennes, Vt.	
169	Harry H. Hayden, Middlebury, Vt.	
199	Joseph W. Holcomb, Vergennes,	
593	Walter Brittell, Vergennes, Vt.	

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THE REV. B. M. KENT DEAD

Well Known Methodist Leader Was Ill Only Twelve Days

The Rev. Dr. Burt Murray Kent, Superintendent of the Burlington District of the Troy Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, who was well known in this county, died at his home in Rutland last Sunday after an illness of only twelve days from pneumonia. He was 56 years old, and had been superintendent of the district for about three and a half years. The funeral was held Wednesday in Rutland, the Rev. G. M. Moody of the Middlebury Methodist Church attending.

DR. ROSS IS IN RESERVE NOW

Accepted and Gets Commission as a First Lieutenant

Dr. Jacob J. Ross, physical director at the College, has received a commission as first lieutenant in the Medical Reserve Corps of the army. He took examination for this at Ft. Oglethorpe last April but was rejected at that time because he was overweight. The case, however, was later reviewed and Dr. Ross has just learned of his acceptance. He may be called any time but thinks it probable that he will be in Middlebury at least until the close of the college year in May.

CORNWALL SERVICE FLAG

D. A. R. Votes to Buy One With Sixteen Stars for Local Boys

The Mary Baker Allen Chapter of the D. A. R. at its postponed meeting February 20 voted to honor the boys from Cornwall in the war by purchasing a service flag of sixteen stars. Mrs. Leslie Foote and Mrs. S. P. Hoyt were elected as a committee to see to this matter, and a motion was passed for the contribution of an additional four dollars to the local Red Cross fund, making the chapter's total contribution thus far \$20.

The meeting last week was to commemorate the month of celebrated birthdays, and the entertainment included music and patriotic selections. Madam DeLong was hostess, while the committee consisted of Miss Frost, Mrs. M. O. Field, Miss Maud Bingham, and Mrs. Lawrence DeWitt. Fifteen members were present.

The following were elected delegates to the Continental Congress of the D. A. R. which will be held in Washington next August: Regent, Mrs. C. H. Lane; delegate, Mrs. H. E. Sanford; alternate for Regent, Miss Sanford; alternates for delegates, Mrs. W. H. Bingham, Mrs. G. E. Constantine, Mrs. W. H. Curtis, Mrs. M. O. Field, Madam DeLong, Mrs. A. W. Foote, Mrs. W. H. Parlin, Mrs. Arthur W. Bingham, and Mrs. Robert Easton.

The next meeting will be a social on Monday evening, March 4, when the gentlemen friends will be guests. A feature of the evening will be an address by Senator A. W. Foote on the subject "Where Vermont Comes In," it being the 127th anniversary of the admission of this state to the Union.

The Century Course

The last entertainment of the course drew a large audience who enjoyed greatly the Bradford Players. The story of Miles Standish was made the center of a galaxy of songs which were delightfully rendered. The executive committee of the Century department, Mrs. Hagar, Mrs. Human and Mrs. Hathaway are to be congratulated on the successful termination of a season presenting many difficulties which the management had never previously had to contend with. The course was of a variety and merit recognized by all. The Song Recital and the Lecture on Russia gave Middlebury the best entertainments of their kind, and both evenings of dramatic and musical combinations were thoroughly enjoyed and all that they were advertised to be. The Century department has every reason for gratified pride in bringing to Middlebury such an opportunity for pleasure and profit, and their disinterested work is appreciated by the community.

Death of William F. McNulla

William Francis McNulla, the 27 years old son of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. McNulla of this town died at his home in Boston, Mass., after a three days' illness of pneumonia. He was up to the time of his illness employed in the Fore River Shipbuilding Plant, but for several years he had been a nurse in the Massachusetts General Hospital.

The funeral was held from the Holy Cross Cathedral with burial beside his infant son in Mt. St. Benedict Cemetery in that city.

Besides his parents, he leaves a wife, Mrs. Mary McNeil McNulla, six sisters, Mrs. William LaPan of Middlebury, Mrs. William LaPan of Middlebury, Mrs. Frank Halm of Salisbury, Miss Abigail McNulla of Worcester, the Misses Helen, Agnes and Elizabeth McNulla of Middlebury and one brother, James E. McNulla of Bristol.

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